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June 4, 1947

RE: EAST FORK, VIRGIN RIVER DISTRIBUTION

Please be advised that a meeting of water users in Long Valley diverting water from the South Fork of Virgin River and its tributaries will be held at the residence of Marcellus Johnson in Glendale, Utah, at the hour of 8:30 p.m., June 11, 1947, for the purpose of selecting a water commissioner for distributing the water of said stream during the irrigation season of 1947. This commissioner is to be appointed by the State Engineer, after a majority of the water users have agreed upon him, as provided in Section 100-5-1, Utah Code Annotated, 1943, which in part provides as follows:

"If a majority of the water users, as a result of such consultation, shall agree upon some competent person or persons to be appointed as water commissioner or commissioners, the duties he or they shall perform and the compensation he or they shall receive, and shall make recommendation to the state engineer as to such matters or either of them, the state engineer shall act in accordance with their recommendations; but if a majority of water users do not agree as to such matters, then the state engineer shall make a determination for them."

If a competent person is recommended, he will be appointed, provided the water users show by the minutes of the meeting to be held that they have arranged amongst themselves for paying his salary, and after submission to this office of the fees in the amount of \$5.00 to cover the premium on a surety bond. It will first be necessary for him to have executed such a bond before being appointed by the State Engineer. The minutes must show that a majority of the water users voted in favor of the person recommended. A complete transcript of the proceedings of the meeting are to be submitted promptly to the State Engineer by the Secretary of the meeting, who is to be selected by the group.

Yours very truly,

Ed. H. Watson
STATE ENGINEER

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